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Legalization bill is here: TAKE ACTION

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Dear Friend,

We need your help! Today, lawmakers in Springfield released their bill to legalize and commercialize marijuana in Illinois-that's why we're asking you to contact your legislators and tell them **'VOTE NO'** on legal pot.

[Click here to tell your legislator to oppose marijuana legalization!](#)

As SAM President Kevin Sabet told the *Chicago Sun Times* this week, "There are a lot of people who are going to be standing in the way of this from passing." That includes the thousands of citizens like you across Illinois who oppose Big Marijuana.

Make your voice heard!

There is just one month left in the 2019 session, and a handful of Illinois lawmakers plan to try and force through marijuana legislation that will negatively impact our children, the safety of our roads, the health of our citizens, and so much more.

Now that the marijuana legalization bill is out, we need to make sure that we keep momentum on our side! Can you contact these key lawmakers and tell them to oppose legal marijuana?

Rep. Luis Arroyo, (217) 782-0480
Rep. Jerry Costello II, (217) 782-1018
Rep. Natalie Manley, (217) 782-3316
Rep. Sue Scherer, (217) 524-0353
Rep. Thaddeus Jones, (217) 782-8087
Rep. Frances Ann Hurley, (217) 782-8200
Rep. Lindsay Parkhurst, (217) 782-5981
Rep. Chris Miller, (217) 558-1040
Rep. Jim Durkin, (217) 782-0494
Rep. Terri Bryant, (217) 782-0387
Rep. Tom Morrison, (217) 782-8026
Rep. Avery Bourne, (217) 782-8071

Make your voice heard today, and together, we can stop Big Marijuana in Illinois.

Thank you,

Omari Prince
Field Director
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About SAM Illinois

[SAM Illinois](#) is a project of SAM Action working against the effort to legalize recreational marijuana because of concerns about the consequences of recreational marijuana.

Evidence shows that marijuana - which has skyrocketed in average potency over the past decades - [is addictive and harmful to the human brain](#) especially when used by adolescents. In states that have already legalized the drug, there has been an increase in [drugged driving](#) crashes, [youth marijuana use](#), and [costs that far outweigh pot revenues](#). These states have seen [a black market that continues to thrive](#), sustained disparities in marijuana [arrest rates](#), and tobacco company [investment](#).

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